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SUBJECT: RECOMMENDATION UNDER THE DIB-678P
PROCEDURE: SERVICIOS Y DISENOS ELECTRONICOS, S.A.

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1. A CONSULATE OFFICER VISITED SERVICIOS Y DISENOS ELECTRONICOS, S.A. - SYDE, AND INTERVIEWED MR. FRANCISCO NOVAU MOLINS, MANAGING DIRECTOR, WHO VOLUNTEERED THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION. SYDE IS A MANUFACTURER OF ELECTRONIC WEIGHING SYSTEMS. THE FIRM ALREADY IMPORTS ANALOG-TO-DIGITAL CONVERTERS AND INSTRUMENTATION AMPLIFIERS FROM INTECH, INC., SANTA CLARA, CALIF. (THE INTERVIEWER SAW THESE COMPONENTS INSTALLED IN SOME MODULES MADE BY THE SUBJECT COMPANY). IN ADDITION, IT IMPORTS LOAD CELLS FROM INTERFACE, INC., SCOTTSDALE, ARIZ. 85260, AND BUYS ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS IN THE LOCAL MARKET. SYDE SELLS TO LARGE MANUFACTURERS OF FOOD PROCESSORS, CHEMICALS AND OTHER USERS IN SPAIN, AS WELL AS TO SPANISH SCALE MANUFACTURERS.

2. SERVICIOS Y DISENOS ELECTRONICOS, S.A. HAS ITS HEAD OFFICES AND PLANT LOCATED ON RAFAEL BATLLE 26-28, BARCELONA 17, SPAIN. THE BUSINESS WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1972, AS AN INDIVIDUAL COMPANY, AND INCORPORATED IN 1973. IT EMPLOYS UNCLASSIFIED

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8. MR. FRANCISCO NOVAY, AN INDUSTRIAL ENGINEER, AND HIS BROTHER ALBERTO ARE THE MAJOR STOCKHOLDERS. THEY ENJOY A GOOD REPUTATION. SYDE HAS AN AUTHORIZED AND PAID-IN CAPITAL OF ABOUT U.S. DOLLARS 15,000, GROSS ASSETS OF ABOUT U.S. DOLLARS 62,500, AND CURRENT LIABILITIES OF ABOUT U.S. DOLLARS 12,500. ANNUAL SALES ARE ESTIMATED AT U.S. DOLLARS 375,000. THIS IS A SMALL COMPANY. IT HAS GOOD FINANCIAL

REPUTATION AND MEETS OBLIGATIONS PROMPTLY, ACCORDING TO
BANKING AND TRADE SOURCES CONSULTED.

3. IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING, THE CONSULATE RECOMMENDS
SERVICIOS Y DISENOS ELECTRONICOS, S.A. - SYDE, AS A
PARTICIPANT UNDER THE DIB-678P (FC-1143) PROCEDURE.
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